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## PSC SETS INTERVENTION DEADLINE IN TERRITORIAL AGREEMENT CASE

Jefferson City (June 25, 2004)---Aquila, Inc. d/b/a Aquila Networks-MPS and Osage Valley Electric Cooperative have filed a joint application with the Missouri Public Service Commission seeking Commission approval of a territorial agreement which designates the service areas of each supplier in a portion of Cass County near Peculiar, Missouri.

Applications to intervene and participate in this case must be filed on or before July 12, 2004, with the Secretary of the Missouri Public Service Commission, P.O. Box 360, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102-0360. Copies of the application should be sent to: Paul A. Boudreau, Brydon, Swearengen & England PC, 312 East Capitol Avenue, P.O. Box 456, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102; Craig S. Johnson, Andereck, Evans, Milne, Peace & Johnson, 700 East Capitol Avenue, P.O. Box 1438, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102-1438; and the Office of the Public Counsel, P.O. Box 2230, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102. The Office of the Public Counsel represents the general public in matters before the Public Service Commission.

According to the application, the joint applicants state the establishment of exclusive service territories will prevent future duplication of electric service facilities, address the special circumstances of customers located therein and will also allow electric service customers within the area to know with certainty the supplier of their electric service. The Joint Applicants state the proposed territorial agreement will not require the transfer of any facilities or customers between Aquila, Inc. d/b/a Aquila Networks-MPS and Osage Valley Electric Cooperative.

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